(3) Store Demonstration/Sampling being conducted from time to time through prestigious retail outlets.

(4) For value added teas, demonstration/sampling is being done by Mail Order operation through local importers.

(5) Promotional tie-up with the UK based multi-product companies is being conducted for value added tea exports, particularly tea bags.

Policy of Government for Financing 100 percent EOU manufacturing cotton yarn

523. SHRI SANTOSH BAGRODIA: Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state:

(a) what is Government's policy for financing 100 per cent export oriented units manufacturing cotton yarn;

(b) whether they will be allowed to import equipments and also take foreign exchange loans; and

(c) whether the industry has to pay back such foreign exchange loans after a few years at the exchange rate prevailing at the time of repayment?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE (SHRI SHANTILAL PURUSHOTTAMDAS PATEL): (a) 100 per cent EOUs, including those manufacturing cotton yarn, have to make their own arrangements for financing their projects mainly through banks and financial istitutions.

(b) Commercial borrowings from abroad are allowed to 100 per cent EOUs for meeting their Capital Goods import requirement.

(c) The loan is repayable by the borrower at the exchange rates prevailing at the time of repayment, unless through a special provision in the Loan Agreement, the lender agrees to bear the exchange fluctuation.

Scheme to help farmers

524. MISS. SAROJ KHAPARDE: Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have formulated any scheme to help the jute farmers in marketing the fibre; and

(b) if so, what are the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF TEXTILES AND FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRY (SHRI HUKAMDEO NARAYAN YADAV): (a) and (b) The Jute Corporation of India is required to undertake procurement of raw jute at minimum support prices in order to protect the interests of jute growers. JCI also undertakes commercial purchases of raw jute at ruling market rates to meet the requirement of National Jute Manufactures Corporation and other private mills of the basis of firm indents and for supply for manufacture of B. Twill bags for DGS&D etc.

दूतावासों/उच्चायोगों की लेखापरीक्षा

525. **श्रीमती सरोज खापर्डे** : क्या वित्त मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) विदेशों में स्थित दूतावासों/उच्चायोगों की लेखापरीक्षा के लिए गत दो वर्षों के दौरान लेखापरीक्षा निदेशक, केंद्रीय राजस्व , नई दिल्ली द्वारा कितने लेखा परीक्षा दल भेजे गए और वे किन-किन स्थानों पर भेजे गए तथा उनके वहां ठहरने की अवधि कितनी थी ;

(ख) इन दलों में भेजे गए वरिष्ठ लेखा परीक्षकों के नाम क्या-क्या हैं तथा वे किन-किन स्थानों पर भेजे गए ; और

(ग) क्या इन दलों में निदेशकों-मुख्य निदेशकों को भी सम्मिलित किया गया था; यदि हां, तो उसका ब्यौरा क्या है और उनके नाम क्या-क्या हैं ?